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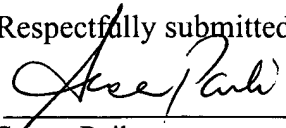
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REMARKS

The specification has been amended to provide notice of the government license rights in the above-identified application. Entry of the preliminary amendment before examination of the application on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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MARKED UP VERSION TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

After the Title on page 1 of the specification, please insert the following paragraph:

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The U.S. Government has a paid-up license in this invention and the right in limited circumstances to require the patent owner to license others on reasonable terms as provided for by the terms of Government Contract Number MDA972-97-C-0012.